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September 16, 2019

Damien Douglas, #10131429
Oregon State Penitentiary
2605 State St.
Salem, OR 97310

Subject: Second Level Grievance Appeal – OSP-2019-06-037AA
RE: Concern of Name not Included on Ramadan List

Dear Mr. Douglas:

This letter is in response to Grievance OSP-2019-06-037AA received by the Correctional Services Division regarding your concern of your name not listed on May 5, 2019, Count Time Report (Exhibit 2). I understand you dispute Mr. Holmes response to your first-level appeal concerning the citing of your name not on the list of Adults in Custody receiving Ramadan this year.

I have reviewed your grievance requests and the responses that were sent to you by Religious Services. In Mr. Holmes' previous response he stated, "On the Institution Program Assignments Listing (cited as Exhibit 1) your name was included for Ramadan. This listing was done on 5/3/19, two days before Ramadan began. As noted, this listing was completed by Religious Services and distributed to stakeholders within OSP two days before the Ramadan fast..." While you are correct in stating your name was not placed on Exhibit 2, you are incorrect in asserting that Mr. Holmes stated it was on Exhibit 2.

After reviewing your appeal and the corresponding documents, I concur with the response you received from Mr. Holmes. You have not provided any additional information in the second-level appeal that would warrant a response other than that which you have already received.

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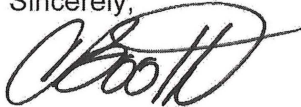
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Thank you for using the appropriate administrative process to review your concerns.
This concludes the grievance review process for this matter.

Sincerely,



Cindy Booth
Interim Assistant Director

CB:dh:hr

xc: A. Kidwell, Grievance Coordinator, OSP
D. Holmes, Administrator, Religious Services
File

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GRIEVANCE APPEAL FORM

OSP-2019-06-037AA

TO BE FILLED OUT BY INMATE

TO: Grievance CoordinatorFROM: Dankos Dameon D

Last Name

First

Initial

OSP# ¹⁰10131429

SID #

E 432

Cell/Block/Bunk #

1. List in detail all the reasons you disagree with the original grievance or level #1 appeal response. (For level #1 appeal, attach original grievance form and staff response. For level #2 appeal, attach level #1 appeal form and staff response and, also, the original grievance form and staff response.)

I'm appealing Holmes response because clearly My name is not listed on Exhibit 2 which indicates the names of every inmate that received Ramadan meals in E-Block on the 1st Day of Ramadan. On said date, and currently, I ~~was~~ housed in E 432.

I'm mailing this on 8.27.19 at ~~6:00pm~~ 6:15am

2. Describe what action you want taken to resolve the grievance. (How can the problem be resolved?)

In the ~~Future~~ Future, I Do not want to miss any Days of Ramadan.

Date

8.26.19

Inmate Signature

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Dennis Holmes, Administrator,

Religious Services

OSCI Residence 3

3405 Deer Park Drive SE

Salem, OR 97310

Voice: 503-378-2524

Fax: 503-378-2648

August 5, 2019

Damien Douglas, SID #10131429
Oregon State Penitentiary
2605 State Street
Salem, OR 97310

Mr. Douglas,

This letter is in response to your first-level Grievance Appeal, OSP_2019_06_037A, in which you stated that you were "*not on the Ramadan list for the first day of Ramadan*".

I have reviewed your appeal, as well as all prior documentation relating to this grievance. On the Institution Program Assignments Listing (cited as exhibit 1) your name was included for Ramadan. This listing was done on 5/3/19, two days before Ramadan began. As noted, this listing was completed by Religious Services and distributed to stakeholders within OSP two days before the Ramadan fast began. If you did not receive a sack lunch on the first day, as you stated in your grievance, this would not have been due to a lack of having your name included in the Ramadan activity by Religious Services staff.

However in response to the action you have requested regarding inclusion in future Ramadan fasts, if you meet the criteria for participation in this event you will be added each year to the Ramadan Program Assignment Listing.

Thank you for addressing your concerns appropriately.

Sincerely,

Dennis Holmes, Administrator | Religious Services

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Inmate: Daghs Demetris D 2SP#10131429 E432
Last First Initial SID# Cell/Block/Bunk #

I'm appealing Thompson's response because Exhibit 2 clearly
proves that I was not on the Rammer Rst for the 1st Dec
of Rammer. ~~_____~~
~~_____~~
~~_____~~

I'm Dropping this in the guidance Box at "approx 6:33-6:36am,
on 7-26

Describe what action you want taken to resolve the grievance. (How can the problem be solved?)

I do not want to miss any future Days of Remembrance.

RR
Inmate Signature

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GRIEVANCE RESPONSE FORM

TO BE FILLED OUT BY STAFFGrievance # **OSP_2019_06_037**TO: Douglas, Damien 10131429FROM: Inmate Name SID #
Chaplain Karuna Thompson
Staff Member

1. List, in detail, action(s) taken. (What action was taken? Was the action what the inmate requested? If not, why? Who took the action? When was the action taken – date/time?)

On May 3rd when I was reviewing with our clerks the final list for Ramadan participants I discovered that the NOI group had not been added to the list. I added them all at that time. Ramadan did not start in the institution until Monday, May 6th, 2019. As soon as the names were entered I notified food services so they would be prepared for the change in numbers and make enough meals for everyone at the start of Ramadan. To my knowledge all NOI members were included in sack meals on the first day of Ramadan. Please see supporting e-mails that are attached.

Do Not Type Past This Line

Date: 7.1.19Signature of Staff Member C. X. A.

Sent from processing facility

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JUL 12 2019OSP/MCCF GRIEVANCE OFFICE
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facility (if not processing
facility)

Date Stamp

Signature of Supervisor (Print/Sign) Dennis F. [Signature]

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Ramadan 2019 in United States began in the evening of

Sunday, May 5

and ended in the evening of

Monday, June 3[Feedback](#)

Ramadan 2019: What is Ramadan? When is it? How is it celebrated?

<https://www.usatoday.com/story/news/nation/2019/05/.../ramadan-2019.../1110697001/>

May 5, 2019 - Ramadan, the most important month of the year in the Muslim calendar, begins Sunday, May 5, and ends Tuesday, June 4.

When is Ramadan 2019? - Ramadan Timetable 2019 - Muslim Aid

<https://www.muslimaid.org/what-we-do/religious-dues/ramadan-2019/> ▼

The Blessed month of Ramadan is upon us once again - a time for reflection, contemplation and celebration. As the Islamic calendar is based around the lunar ...

Ramadan 2019: How to Wish Someone a Happy Ramadan | Time

<https://time.com > Living > Holidays>

May 6, 2019

You can exchange Ramadan greetings by saying "Ramadan Kareem," which translates into "Have a generous ...

People also ask

When did Ramadan start in 2019? ▼

How long does Ramadan last? ▼

What is allowed and not allowed during Ramadan? ▼

Why do Muslims fast? ▼

[Feedback](#)

Ramadan 2019: 9 questions about the Muslim holy month you were ...

<https://www.vox.com/2017/5/.../what-is-ramadan-2019-start-date-muslim-islam-about> ▼

Apr 29, 2019 - When does Ramadan 2019 start? What is Ramadan? How does fasting work? Your questions, answered.

Ramadan 2019: Why is it so important for Muslims? | Islam | Al Jazeera

<https://www.aljazeera.com/.../ramadan-2019-important-muslims-190505145156499.h...> ▼

May 5, 2019 - Ramadan is the holiest month for Muslims. Every year, Muslims around the world fast during daylight hours, but what is it really about?

Ramadan - Wikipedia

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ramadan> ▼

Ramadan (/ˌræməˈdɑːn/, also US: /ˌrɑːm-, ˈræmədɑːn, ˈrɑːm-/; UK: /ˈræmədæn/; ... 2019 date, 6 May – 3 June. 2020 date, evening of 23 April (22 April for Mali; 24 April for Australia, Bangladesh, Brunei Darussalam, India, Iran, Morocco, Nepal, ...

2019 date: 6 May – 3 June

Observed by: Muslims

Celebrations: Community iftars and Community ...

Begins: At the last night of the month of Sha'ban

https://www.google.com/search?q=ramadan+2019&rlz=1C1GCEB_enUS779US779&oq=ramadan+2019&aqs=chrome..69i57.2296j0j1&sourceid=chro... 1/2

Thompson Karuna R

From: Thompson Karuna R
Sent: Friday, May 03, 2019 2:22 PM
To: Ridderbusch Rick E; Powers Aaron J
Cc: Stahlnecker Dennis U; Perlstein Avrohom Y
Subject: New Names for NOI on Ramadan

Hi Everyone,

I discovered today that the NOI community had not had their names added to our Ramadan list. I am sorry for the jump in numbers but thought better to add them then to have the complaints on the first nights when they were not on the list. Thank you for your understanding and support.

Warmly,

Karuna Thompson, Chaplain

*Oregon State Penitentiary
2605 State Street
Salem, OR 97301*

Office: 503-373-1350 / **Cell:** 971-600-5907

Thompson Karuna R

From: Young Stuart D
Sent: Sunday, May 05, 2019 7:44 PM
To: DL RS Chaplains
Subject: Ramadan

The moon was sighted so the first day is Monday. Food Services and institution staff have been notified to start meal service Monday early morning.

Sent from my iPhone

<h2 style="margin: 0;">E-BLOCK</h2> <h3 style="margin: 0;">Hair Cut List</h3> <p style="margin: 0;">Date <u>7 / 26 / 19</u></p>

*** ONLY SIGN UP YOUR NAME .**

- *Remain in your cell until called.**
- *Do not request to use the barber tools.**
- *No shaving in barber area.**
- *Names outside the boxes will be removed.**
- *If a box contains more than one name, both will be removed.**
- *You may have a haircut once every 30 days.**
- *Sign up on your tier's day only. NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- *Not showing up for your haircut will suspend your haircut privileges for 30 days**

*****Name*****	*****Cell#*****
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The following names will be called if time permits:

*****Name*****	*****Cell#*****

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Grievance # OSP-2019-06-037

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GRIEVANCE FORM

Inmate: Douglas Dameion D OSP#10131429 E 432 1
 Last First Initial SID# Cell/Block/Bunk #

Reason for grievance: (check all that apply)

- ☐ Misapplication of any administrative directive or operational procedure
☐ The lack of an administrative directive or operational procedure
☐ Any unprofessional behavior or action which may be directed toward an inmate by an employee, contractor, or volunteer of the Oregon Department of Corrections or the Oregon Corrections Enterprises
☐ Any oversight or error affecting an inmate
☐ A program failure as defined in the DOC rule on Performance Recognition and Award System (Inmate), OAR 291-077-0020, unless the program failure is a direct result of a misconduct report where the inmate was found in violation
☐ The loss or destruction of property as designated in the DOC rule on Personal Property (Inmate), OAR 291-117-0130(3)
☐ Sexual contact, solicitation or coercion between an employee, volunteer or contractor and an inmate

Please provide the date/time of incident giving rise to grievance: 5-6-19

List in detail all the reasons for your grievance. Use multiple grievance forms if necessary. (What is the problem? When did it happen – date/time/place?) Attach copies of any documents or any material(s), which support your grievance, including the names of any persons you think should be questioned.

I'm grieving Chaplin Karen Thompson for failing to add my name to the Ramadan list causing me to miss the first day of Ramadan on 5-6-19. On Friday 5-3-2019, Sunni Muslim Tray Ramsey came in the NOI Sunni and informed me that Thompson asked for our Ramadan list. I was confused because in previous years everyone on the Sunni list was automatically on the Ramadan list plus I was under the impression that inmates cannot add or remove anyone's names. I gave him my name and everyone's names on our NOI Sunni list or who attends Sunni and Chaplin Dennis Stallmaker was not in his office so I gave Ramsey the list and he took both the Sunni and NOI Ramadan list to Thompson so she could put all of our names on it. Fast forward to Friday May 3rd, 2019, the Friday before Ramadan and I asked Robert Boyd to get the Ramadan list to be sure everyone's names were

Describe what action you want taken to resolve the grievance. (How can the problem be solved?)

5-31-19
 Date

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 Inmate Signature

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Grievance # OSP-2019-06-037

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 Last First Initial SID# Cell/Block/Bunk #

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on it. When he came with it I was surprised to notice that my name was not on it as I've been attending Sunni and practicing Ramadan for the past 10 years in OSP and past 22 years in total. Myself, Boyd, and Ramsey went inside Thompson's office and informed her of the aforementioned events and she claimed to have put everyone's names from both the NOI and Sunni list to the Ramadan list. However, only the Sunni names were added on Tuesday April 2nd, 2019. We again informed her of the aforementioned and she said that "this is the last time I'm doing this." Dennis Stalhaecker was not in his office during said time. To be clear I'm grieving Thompson for failing to timely add my name to the Ramadan list causing me to miss the first Day of Ramadan. I'm dropping this in the Grievance Box at 5:31.

Describe what action you want taken to resolve the grievance. (How can the problem be solved?)

There should not be any future problems with Ramadan or any other Muslim annual celebrations. See Exhibit 1 a copy of the May 3rd, 2019 Ramadan list and Exhibit 2 a copy of the May 5th, 2019 Ramadan list
 5.31.19

Date

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Program: OSP RELISPEC Religious Special Activity
Section ID: RELRAMADAN Ramadan 2019

Capacity: 60

Assigned: 44

Waiting:

Exhibit

Offender Name	ID No.	Referred	Entered	NCI	ACRS	Cell#	Release
ALI, MEHAMED	21891340	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	2	.10	DRM263	8/27/2022
AL-WADUD, ABDUR RA	10534564	4/23/2019	4/23/2019	3	.01	E-536	
AYDINER, DENIZ	15375190	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	3	.01	A313B	
BEARD, CURTIS LEE	6349924	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	2	.02	E-560	1/11/2038
BOWIE, JAMES MICHA	17567358	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	1	.20	E-377B	12/22/2024
BOYD, JEREMY JW Jr	22489356	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	1	.07	E-337B	1/05/2033
BOYD, ROBERT DARNE	16362422	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	3	.04	A-259A	
DOUGLAS, DAMIEN	10131429	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	3	.01	E-432	
FUDGE, JAMES CHARL	7994245	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	2	.01	D-306B	
HABIBULLAH, MOHDSI	18667057	4/22/2019	4/22/2019	3	.01	E-418	6/11/2028
HAJI, HANAD A	19460781	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	1	.35	DS-328	11/10/2022
HARRIS, QUENTIN L	14721651	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	3	.01	MHI43	
HILL, BRIAN	6942696	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.01	D-127	
JACKSON, TECUMA N	10120829	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	3	.02	D-490	12/19/2033
JOHNSON, FREDERIC	15891465	4/18/2019	4/18/2019	1	.12	E-229B	7/19/2026
MARCUS, LITTLE JOH	18125717	4/04/2019	4/04/2019	3	.01	C-005A	10/30/2034
MCCOY, CARL JODECE	21891803	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	1	.22	E-316A	8/23/2020
MMARI, JOSHUA MARK	21153153	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	2	.20	C-406A	6/08/2019
MOHAMED, ABDALAH	16573290	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	1	.16	E-377A	12/03/2025
MOON, MEDERO	12614513	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	2	.01	D-570	
MOUSTAFA, MAHMOUD	19977412	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.05	D-435	3/10/2027
NASH, DEREK	17385824	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	1	.23	D-362B	9/12/2019
NELSON, CLEVELAND	14695811	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	2	.09	C-201B	7/18/2030
ODOM, ALONZO DEWAY	18671280	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.01	E-436	10/08/2030
PAYNE, ISAAH K	19258937	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	1	.19	E-316B	10/21/2020
PERVISH, BENJAMIN	9124786	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.03	D-437	1/09/2036
PETERSON, JEREMY I	12897088	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	1	.22	MHI38	7/03/2019
PRESLEY, ERIC Jr	13577324	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	2	.04	D-404	5/28/2019
RAMSEY, TROY LATRE	11609169	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.01	A-121B	
RAWLS, CATRELL TRA	13763481	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.01	A-222A	
SANDERS, GARY DELA	5332117	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.23	E-568	6/09/2020
SEAQUIST, JEREMY	8038195	4/19/2019	4/19/2019	3	.12	D-507	4/09/2029
SHABAZZ, MIKAL AKA	8528841	4/12/2019	4/12/2019	3	.02	A-212B	10/01/2035
SKLBA, JORDAN NATH	21020135	5/02/2019	5/02/2019	1	.08	DS201A	12/03/2020
SMITH, RONNIE SCOT	8378953	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	3	.38	E-468	10/16/2023
STAFFORD, ADRIAN C	7577563	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.03	C-111A	4/15/2033
STEWART, RESCHARD	10228211	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	3	.06	DS218B	
TARDY, TERENCE LY	13622495	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.01	A-119A	
THOMPSON, CHRISTOP	8093061	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.02	A351B	5/10/2021
TILAHUN, SHUA	15493938	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.02	D-563	
VICTORIO, MICHAEL	21327635	4/19/2019	4/19/2019	1	.49	DS218A	12/30/2019
WALKER, DAVID MART	11082784	5/03/2019	5/03/2019	1	.51	DRM278	8/05/2019
WARD, MICUS D	20345287	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	1	.01	D-311A	
YAFEU, TYEHIMBA	8261772	4/02/2019	4/02/2019	3	.01	C-111B	

44 Assignments listed

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Appointment location *ALL

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— E-229B	Johnson, Frederic Idris	15891465	RELISPEC	RELAMADAN
— E-337B	Boyd, Jeremy Jw	22489356	RELISPEC	RELAMADAN
— E-418	Habibullah, Mohdsidek	18667057	RELISPEC	RELAMADAN
— E-436	Odom, Alonzo Dewayne	18671280	RELISPEC	RELAMADAN
— E-536	Al-Wadud, Abdur Rashid	10534564	RELISPEC	RELAMADAN
— E-568	Sanders, Gary Delano	5332117	RELISPEC	RELAMADAN

RELISPEC Total 27

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Printed Name _____ Signature _____